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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN YELL COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (4-22) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Yell County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 6 miles of Highway 10. The work will extend west from Highway 309 (N. Main St.) in Havana to Highway 309 in Waveland.

Blackstone Construction, LLC of Russellville, Arkansas was awarded the contract at \$1,497,170.84.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete this summer.

This project is being funded with revenue generated from the severance tax on natural gas.

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